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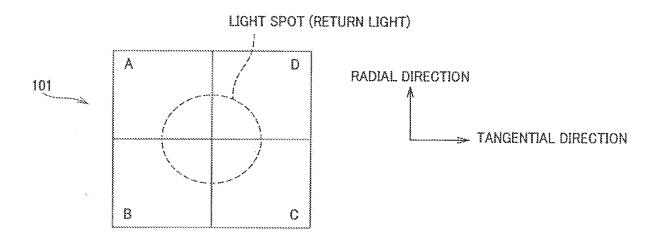
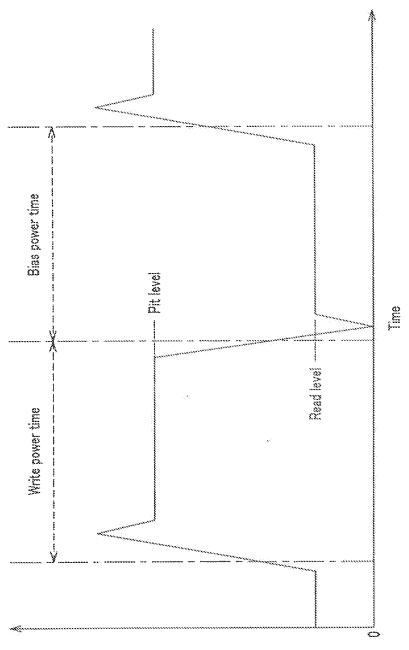


FIG.2 BACKGROUND ART



TG.3 BYCKGROUND ART

Light volume of return light to photodetector during recording

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LIGHT SPOT (RETURN LIGHT)

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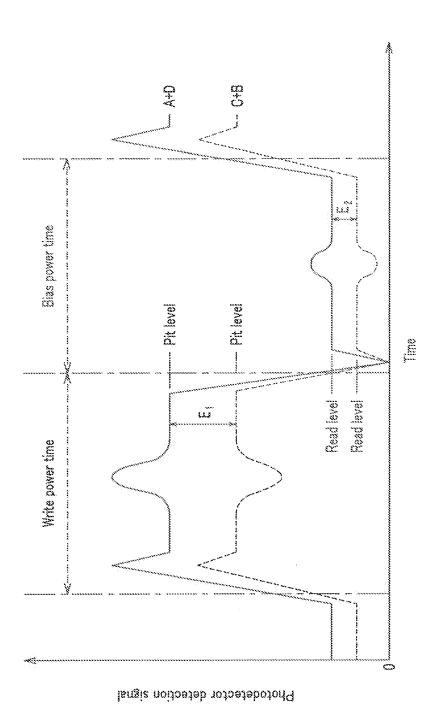
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RADIAL DIRECTION

TANGENTIAL DIRECTION

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TO BACKGROUND ART

